

Lesson Plan: Islam in the Medieval World

Ancient and Medieval History 10

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FHS

60 minute class

Outcome 5.3: Explain the role of religion in medieval Europe [and the Middle East].

Lesson Style: This class will consist of four mini-lessons, conducted by myself, Mr Peters, Mr Rutledge and Mr Kelbaugh. Students will be divided into four groups, and will rotate from section to section, spending about 12 minutes with each teacher.

Activity: When students are with me, they will take notes from the PowerPoint presentation I have created. The main topics are pre-Islamic Arabia, the life of Muhammad, the expansion of the Islamic Empire, and the Bayt al-Hikma.

Content sources:

- Egger, Vernon O. (2004). *A History of the Muslim World to 1405: The Making of a Civilization*. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson.